



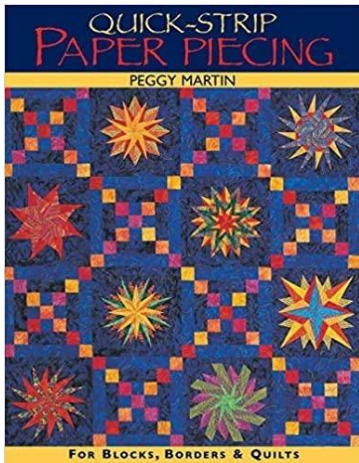
AVQA News

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JANUARY PROGRAM



January 8, 2022 (Please note that it is the Saturday before the guild meeting.) Who has always wanted to make a New York Beauty quilt? Our truly talented Cheryl Nieman is teaching a technique that will make this beautiful quilt a dream come true. Your bucket list will have one less quilt on it. Come join us on January 8 from 9:00-3:00 at Mayflower Gardens II rec room, by the pool. The address is 42267 Ringstem Ave, Quartz Hill. If you have taken Cheryl's classes before, you know that these are really great. Call, text, or email Pat Crook or Nette Louton to reserve your space. There are only 10 spaces available. There are a few prerequisites, so let us know if you are interested and we will send you the supply list. You must have Peggy Martin's book, *Quick Strip Paper Piecing*, to participate.

January 13, 2022 A previous Featured Quilter and good friend to all will be giving us a view into her life as a quilter. Please join us as Sue Jacobsen tells her story from where she started to where she is now. What has she not done? She will have a PowerPoint to give examples of her work on this trail.

Guild Information

Guild Meeting: Thurs, January 13, 2022, at 6:30 p.m. Location: Zoom meeting. All members will receive a link to attend.

Board Meeting: Tues, January 18, 2022, at 5:30 p.m. Location: Zoom meeting

Membership Dues: \$30.00, or \$40.00 if newsletter is delivered USPS.

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President	Donna Roberts
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2 nd VP	Jamie Harrington
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AVQA 2021-2022 Committee Chairs

Challenge	Nette Louton & Pat Crook
Door Prizes	Kathy Greene
Fat 1/4 Drawing	Nani Johnson
Friendship Circles	Carla Wolf
Historian	Diane Grooms
Holiday Party	VACANT
Hospitality	Jan Hall & Terri Moss
Library/Block Party	Corine Cudney
Membership	Peggy Campbell
Newsletter	Peggy Vachon
Opp Quilt Design '22	Peggy Vachon
Opp Quilt Design '23	Corinne Gurney
Opp Quilt Promo	Jim and Donna Roberts
Philanthropic	Kathy Judkins
Publicity	VACANT
Retreats	Betty Putzka
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Sunshine	Peggy Campbell
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Happy January Birthdays!

10- Harriet Spann	23- Shannon Vannegut
14- Maralyne Ullerich	28- Dixie Bahr
20- Corine Cudney	31- Sandie Lane
20- Kathy Judkins	

If we've missed your birthday, please let the Membership Chair know, and have a great birthday!!!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Well, this year is nearly over. I hope that 2022 brings a fantastic year to each and every one of you.

Happy Holidays to you all. Looking forward to seeing you all next year!!

Donna Roberts



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Announcements:

Newsletter

Newsletter deadline is January 23, 2022. **Please** be on time. Peggy Vachon, Newsletter Chair

Quilt Show

The first Quilt Show meeting will be Tuesday, Feb 1 at 6:30 pm at my house or Zoom. I am looking for guild members to head the Quilt Show Committees. Please let me know if you are interested. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year. We need your time, quilts, baskets, and auction items to make this quilt show successful. In no time the quilt show will be upon us. Calling all members. We need quilts for the show. We need your talent. It is not too late to start a quilt or finish UFO's. We are also featuring wearable art - jackets, vests, clothing outfits, anything quilt related – as well as home décor, purses, totes, and beach bags,

Auction: You can start and finish Auction items. Anything is welcome for the Auction. The items do not have to be finished. You can donate quilt kits, quilt tops, and UFO's in a box. Everything will be welcomed. Auction Form on AVQA Website. Diane Grooms is accepting items for the Quilt Auction.

Friendship Circles : Please donate a basket for the Basket Raffles. Just pick a theme, have everyone in your circle donate items and fill up the basket with your theme items. You will need to make a list of the items in the basket. Contact: Kathy Greene.

Babylock Jazz II Sewing and Quilting Machine

Al's Vacuum and Sewing in Lancaster has donated a Babylock Jazz II Sewing and Quilting Machine to AVQA.

This machine has 12" workspace, 28 built-in stitches with stretch stitch capabilities, 1000 stitches per minute, programable needle-up/down, hands-free presser foot, 9 feet included, automatic needle threader, and automatic bobbin winder.

These are just a few of the features.

We are selling tickets – ticket packet is 24 tickets for \$20. 6 tickets for \$5 or a ticket for \$1.

Just a reminder that the Quilt Show Set-up is Friday, May 13th. Show is Saturday, May 14th and Sunday, May 15th, 2022, at the AV Fairgrounds in the Van Dam Pavilion.

I look forward to an exciting quilt show.

Jamie Harrington- 2nd VP



Philanthropic

Happy New Year! I took 13 quilts to the Children's Center on the day before Thanksgiving. I will have a few quilts to donate during the week before Christmas. Many thanks to Belinda Aguirre, Peggy Campbell, Lorene Chalfant, Kathy Greene, Lynell Rodio, and Harriet Spann for quilting and binding, and again, to everyone who worked so hard to get quilts ready to donate.

Kathy Judkins
Philanthropic Committee

Parliamentarian

You will see the Bylaws as they have been revised by the Bylaw committee. This means we need everyone to read through the whole document and give your input. We will host a second zoom meeting for discussion on January 11th from 5:30-6:30. You will be muted and we will be reading through the bylaws and stopping for discussion on each changed section. I am hoping that this will give everyone a voice and we can explain how this will affect the guild. This document should be ratified at the February meeting. Please see attached Bylaws.



Challenge 2022

A ribbon runs through it. We have been through a lot in the last year, but one of the things that always keeps us sane and together is fabric. We are suggesting a challenge with a ribbon that will run through all of the mini quilts. The rules are:

1. The cost is \$5.00 which will be used for prizes.
2. You must incorporate the ribbon and it must extend beyond the border of the mini quilt by 2 inches on each side. The ribbons must be 3" wide at the border.
3. The quilt needs to be a complete quilt and be finished. Size is 12" x 18". They may be vertical or horizontal orientation.
4. This challenge runs from now to the April meeting. You will have to deliver your quilt to us, Pat or me, by April 11th at the latest so we can arrange them.



Historian

Hi. As AVQA Historian, I realize we have not had the chance to see each other's work as we usually do. I'd like to create a PowerPoint presentation for our members and for our quilt show. I'd love to have our members send me pictures of finished projects for the past year so that we can enjoy and rejoice in their work and creativity. Please send to dvgrooms@gmail.com. -- Diane Grooms, Historian





Opportunity Quilt Promotions

We really need some volunteers to take the Opportunity quilt to Valley Quilters Guild Show in February 11 or 12 in San Jacinto in Riverside County. There is also a Quilt Show in South Bay area on Feb 12 and 13. This is the South Bay Quilters Guild. Hey, don't everybody jump on this great "opportunity" Get it??? Haha. This is a great thing to do, and if you go with someone you can take turns checking out the show. Let Donna know so we can see if they will let us show the quilt.



Publicity

aka nosey person: Do you like to waste your time on the internet? Do you like to keep your nose in everyone's business? Publicity might be the job for you!!!! We need someone to check out all those sites that are hard copy and on the web to advertise our Opportunity Quilt, the Jazz machine and our show along with monthly speakers and workshops. Remember, you will need to be nosey ... very nosey.

